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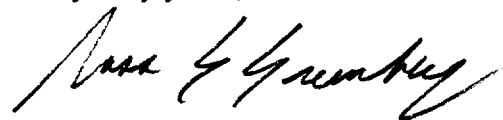
Re: **Amendment to Petition for Rule Making**

Dear Ms. Salas:

On behalf of Davis Television Clarksburg, LLC, I am transmitting herewith an original and four copies of an amendment to a Petition for Rule Making, filed with the Commission on June 30, 1999, seeking to amend the DTV Table of Allotments to specify Channel 10 in lieu of Channel 28 for transitional DTV use by WVFX(TV), Clarksburg, West Virginia.

Should there be any questions concerning this matter, please contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,



Ross G. Greenberg

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BEFORE THE
Federal Communications Commission
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of)
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Amendment of Section 73.622(b))
Table of Allotments, DTV Broadcast Stations)
(Clarksburg, West Virginia))

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To: Chief, Allocations Branch
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AMENDMENT TO PETITION FOR RULE MAKING

Davis Television Clarksburg, LLC ("Davis Clarksburg"), licensee of Station WVFX(TV), Clarksburg, West Virginia, by its attorneys, hereby amends its Petition for Rule Making (the "Petition"), filed with the Commission on June 30, 1999, requesting that the Commission institute a rule making proceeding to amend Section 73.622(b), the DTV Table of Allotments, by substituting Channel 10 as the DTV allocation for transitional DTV use by Station WVFX(TV) in lieu of Channel 28, as originally allotted. As set forth in the accompanying engineering statement prepared by Bernard R. Segal, P.E. (the "Engineering Statement"), the Petition, which proposed the use of a directional antenna with maximum average effective radiated power of 55 kW, is hereby amended to reduce the proposed maximum power to 50 kW.

The Engineering Statement establishes that at a maximum average effective radiated power of 50 kW, the proposed operation on Channel 10 provides full coverage over

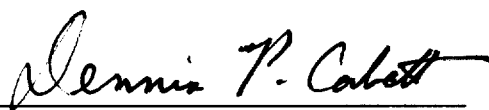
Clarksburg, West Virginia, the community of license of Station WVFX(TV), and satisfies all requirements with respect to the avoidance of excessive interference to NTSC and DTV stations and allotments. *See Engineering Statement, p. 2.*

Davis Clarksburg reiterates its intention to timely file an application specifying the operation of Station WVFX-DT on Channel 10 upon the Commission's grant of the amended Petition and will adhere to all applicable Commission standards for the construction and initiation of operation of its DTV facility.

THEREFORE, for the reasons set forth above, a rule making proceeding should be instituted proposing the amendment of Section 73.622(b) of the Commission's Rules to substitute Channel 10 for Channel 28 in the DTV Table of Allotments for use by Station WVFX(TV).

Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT TO
ENGINEERING STATEMENT
PREPARED ON BEHALF OF
DAVIS TELEVISION CLARKSBURG, LLC
CLARKSBURG, WEST VIRGINIA**

Davis Television Clarksburg, LLC, the licensee of NTSC station WVFX, Clarksburg, West Virginia, has a petition pending to amend the DTV Table of Allotments, Section 73.622(b) of the Rules. The FCC allotted Ch. 28 for transitional DTV use for NTSC station WVFX. The pending petition requests that Ch. 10 be substituted for Ch. 28. A directional antenna with maximum average effective radiated power of 55 kW was proposed. By means of the instant amendment, the maximum power proposed is reduced to 50 kW. No change in the directional antenna radiation pattern is proposed, nor is a change in the antenna radiation center height above average terrain proposed.

At the reduced power, the proposal is believed to be consistent with the rule governing maximization of facilities for allotments which were included in the initial table of DTV allotments.

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Davis Television Clarksburg, LLC,
Clarksburg, West Virginia

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The power reduction does not alter any conclusionary result that was previously stated for the proposal with maximum effective radiated power of 55 kW. Also, compliance with the Commission's requirement for encompassment of the principal community by the DTV coverage contour will continue to be achieved and all requirements with respect to the avoidance of excessive interference to NTSC and DTV stations and allotments will continue to be satisfied.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on October 12, 1999.



Bernard R. Segal, P.E.